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1. OMANGOV MINISTRY OF DEFENSE INFORMS US THAT IT HAS RECEIVED
TELEX FROM PANDAIR FREIGHT LTD., OMAN'S NEW DESIGNATED FREIGHT
FORWARDER IN FMS CASES, STATING THE FOLLOWING:

QUOTE: CONFIRM RCPT OF TWX MOD 306AND LETTER 233A. HAVE
SPOKEN U.S. ARMY ASST. PLUS D.A.R.C.O.M. DESK OFFICER PLUS
HAVE MET WITH MILITARY UNDER ASSISTANT HERE IN NEW YORK. ON
YOUR OFFERS SOME ARE SENSITIVE AND WILL COME FWD DTS WE WILL
ONLY BE INVOLVED WITH 3DTLS TO BE ADV. UNQUOTE.

2. WHILE THIS SHOWS THAT PANDAIR IS READY TO ASSUME CON-
TRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP WITH OMANGOV, IT INDICATES THAT PANDAIR'S
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FORWARDER ACTIVITIES FOR OMAN WILL NOT COVER CERTAIN "SENSITIVE"
ITEMS ON ADVICE OF U.S. MILITARY. WE REQUEST CLARIFICATION.
IF ANY OF TOW MISSILE COMPONENTS TO BE SHIPPED BACK TO OMAN
FOLLOWING REPAIR UNDER FMS CASE UAD ARE PART OF THIS EXCLUSION,
WE FEAR FURTHER AND EMBARRASSING DEALY OF THIS LONG-PENDING
CASE. ALL COMPONENTS UNDER CASE UAD WERE ORIGINALLY SHIPPED TO
U.S. VIA COMMERCIAL AIR.

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